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MEMORANDUM FOR: DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR PLANS

SUBJECT: Joint OSO/OPC Cable Processing

1. As an initial step in the amalgamation of the OSO/OPC Registry Units, a Table of Organization must be agreed upon by both Offices. One of the problems in the determination of a Table of Organization is the decision as to which of the two existing cable procedures will be employed.

2. At the present time the OPC Registry determines the distribution of cables by the employment of cable analysts. The Signal Center of the Office of Communications determines the distribution of OSO cables. Both of these systems, together with the problems of sensitivity of material and operational requirements, have been considered in the preparation of this proposal.

3. Your concurrence in the following proposal is requested:

a. That the OPC Registry slots and personnel presently assigned the duties of cable analysis and distribution be transferred to the Signal Center of the Office of Communications.

b. That as soon as the above transfers are effected, Signal Center commence processing cables for both OPC and OSO in a uniform fashion patterned after the present OSO system. The appropriate distribution formulas and indicators will be determined by coordination with the Staffs and Divisions concerned, and a Registry-Signal Center liaison officer will be designated for the purpose of continued coordination.

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